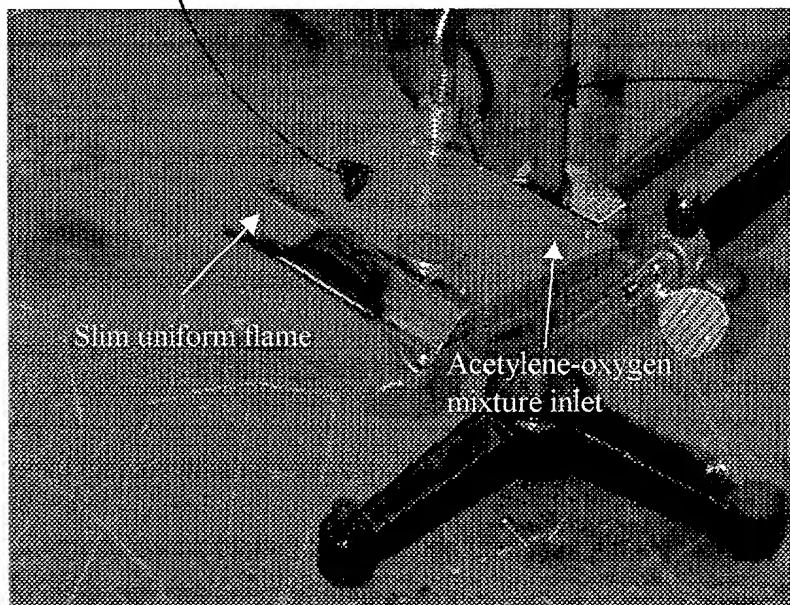


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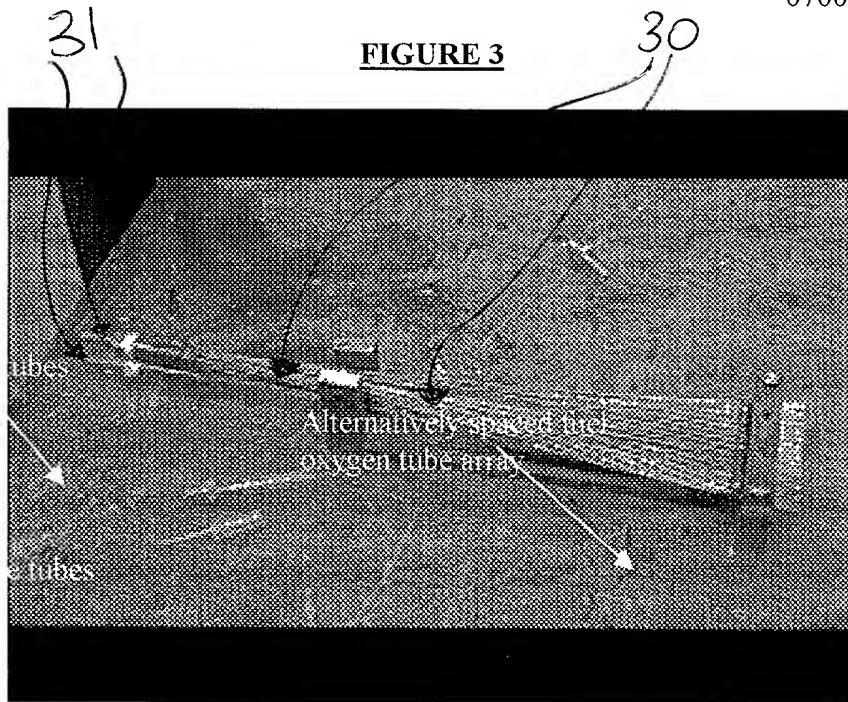


FIGURE 2



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FIGURE 3



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A black and white photograph showing a close-up of a metal structure, possibly a ship's hull, with a bright, curved line of light or smoke emanating from a joint or weld. The image is grainy and has a high-contrast, industrial feel.

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FIGURE 5

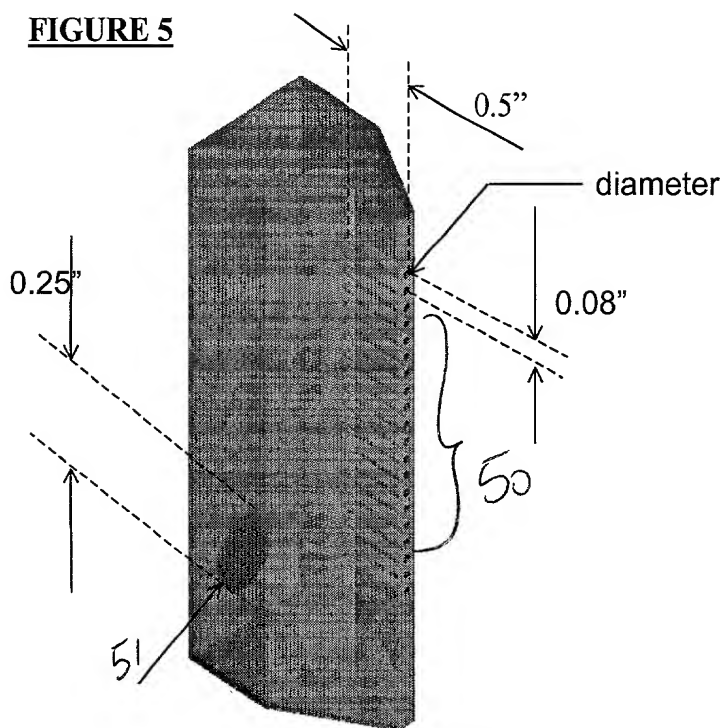


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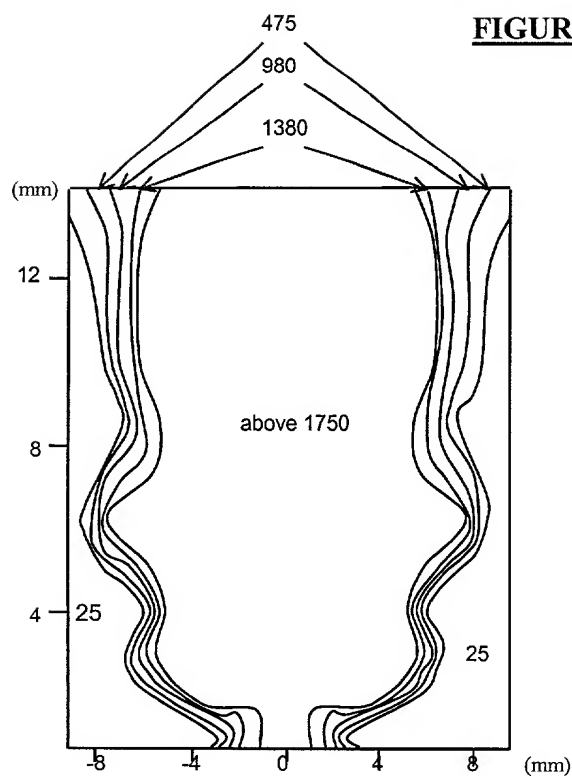


FIGURE 7

PATENT
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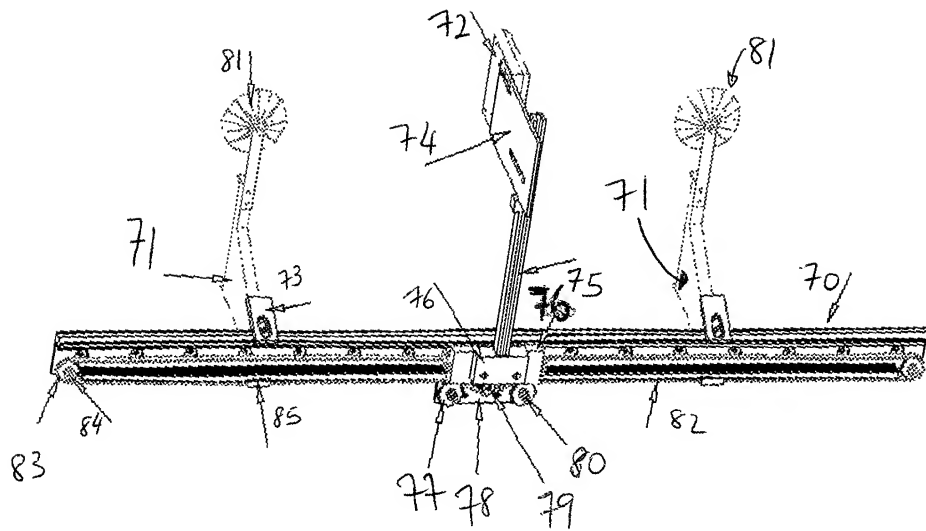
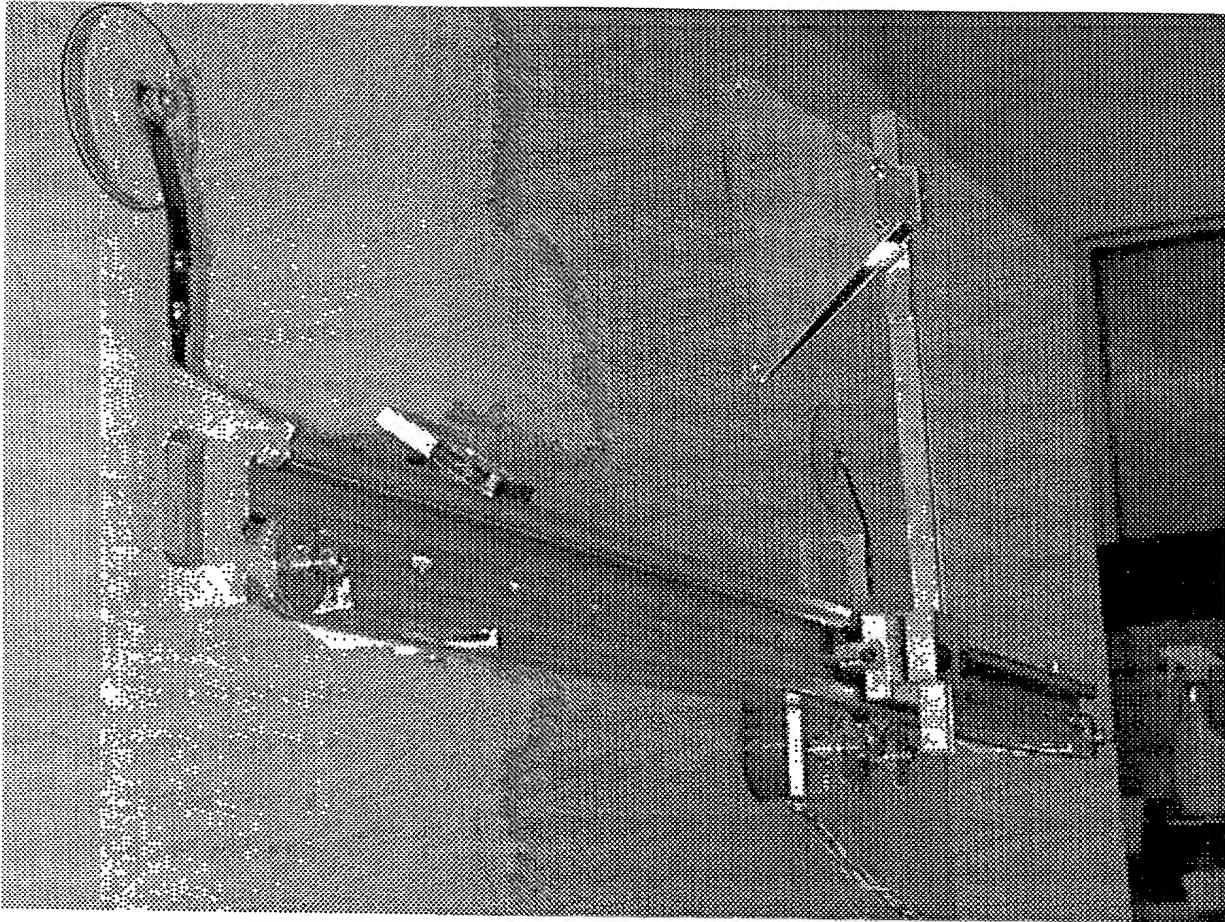


FIGURE 8



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FIGURE 9

PRIOR ART

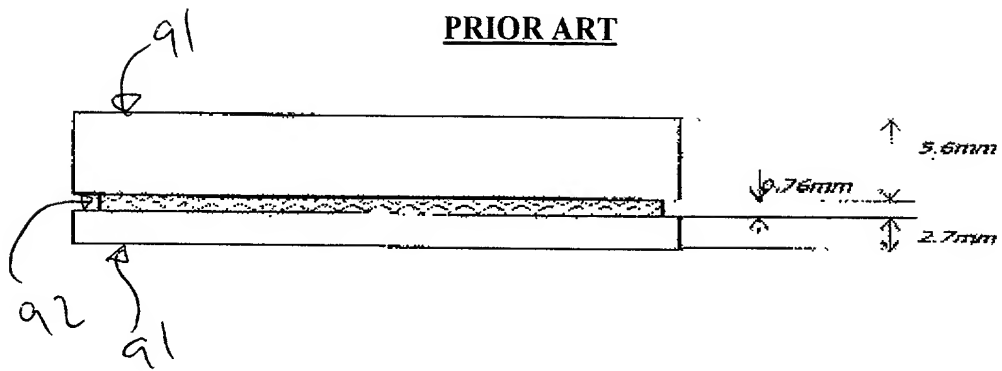
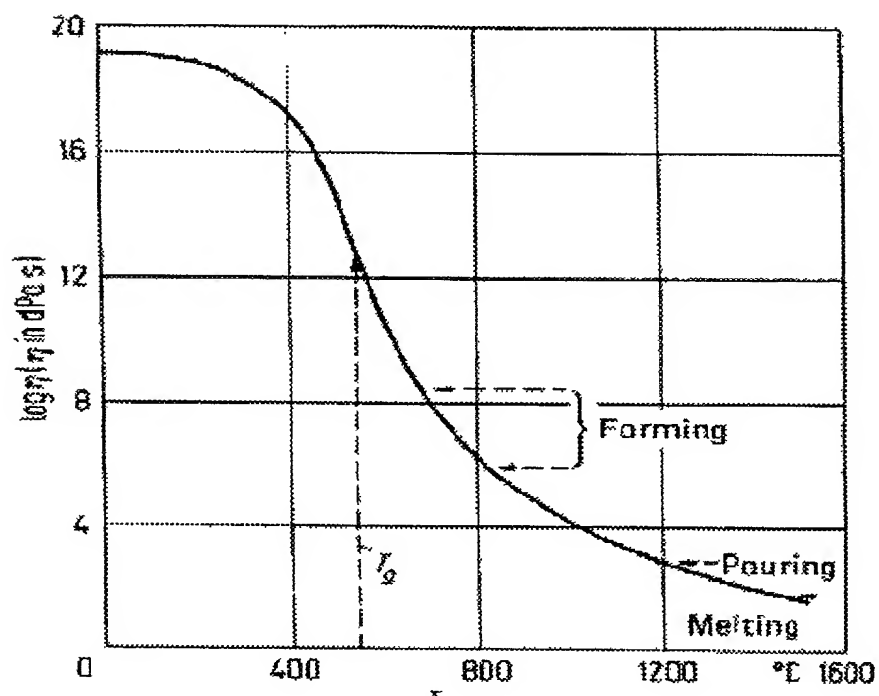


FIGURE 10



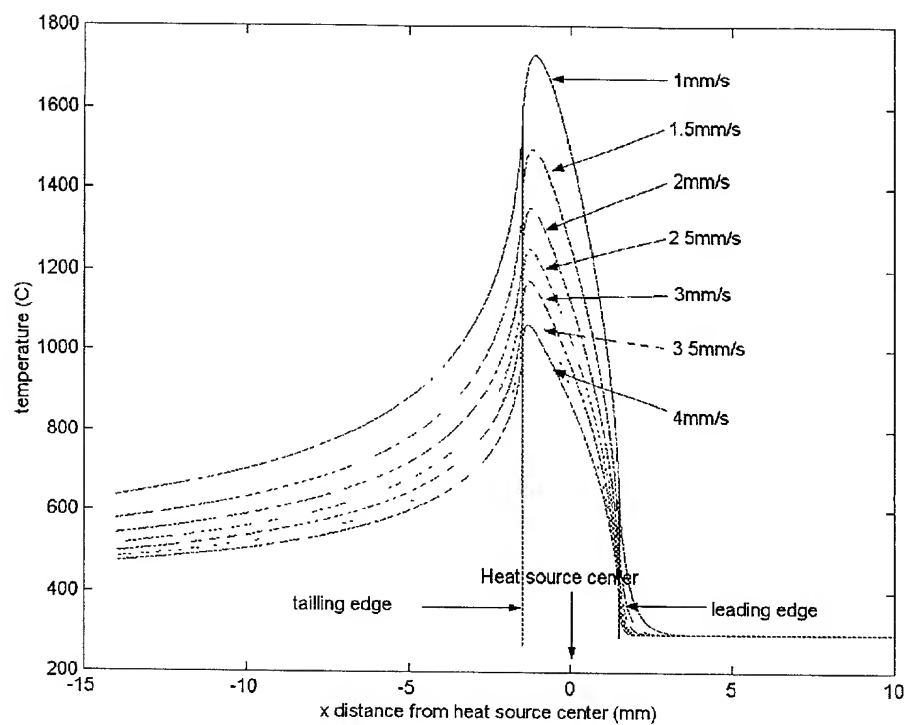
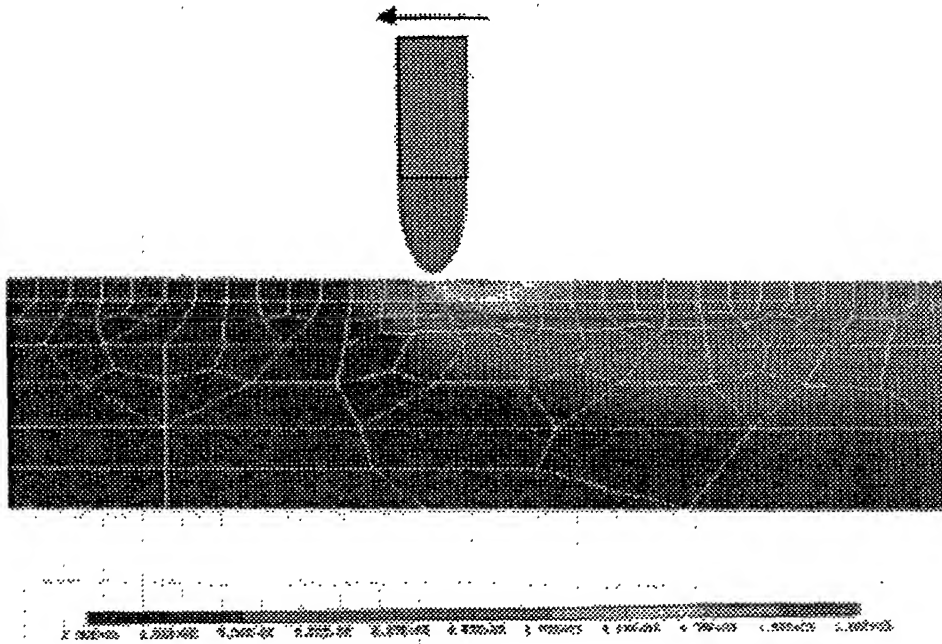


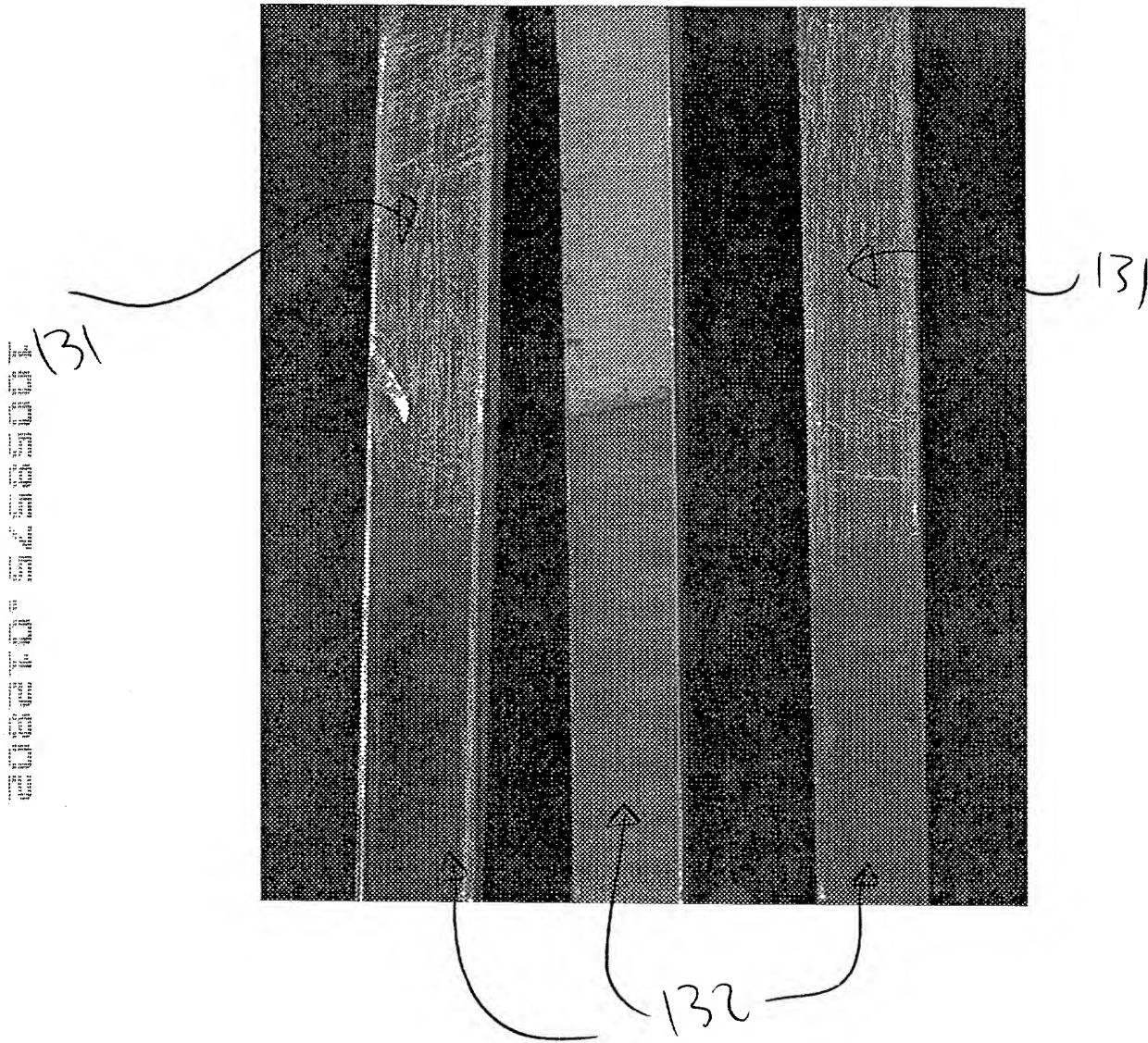
FIGURE 11

FIGURE 12



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FIGURE 13



REPRESENTATIVE RESULTS OF OPTIMAL,
AND SUB-OPTIMAL, HEAT SOURCE VELOCITY
AND FUEL FLOW RATE COMBINATIONS

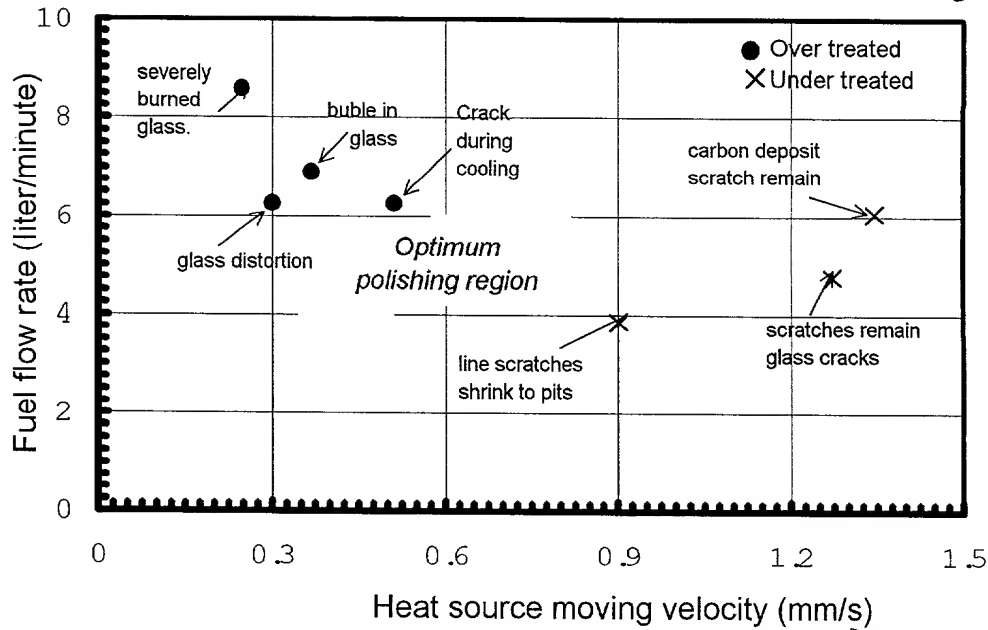


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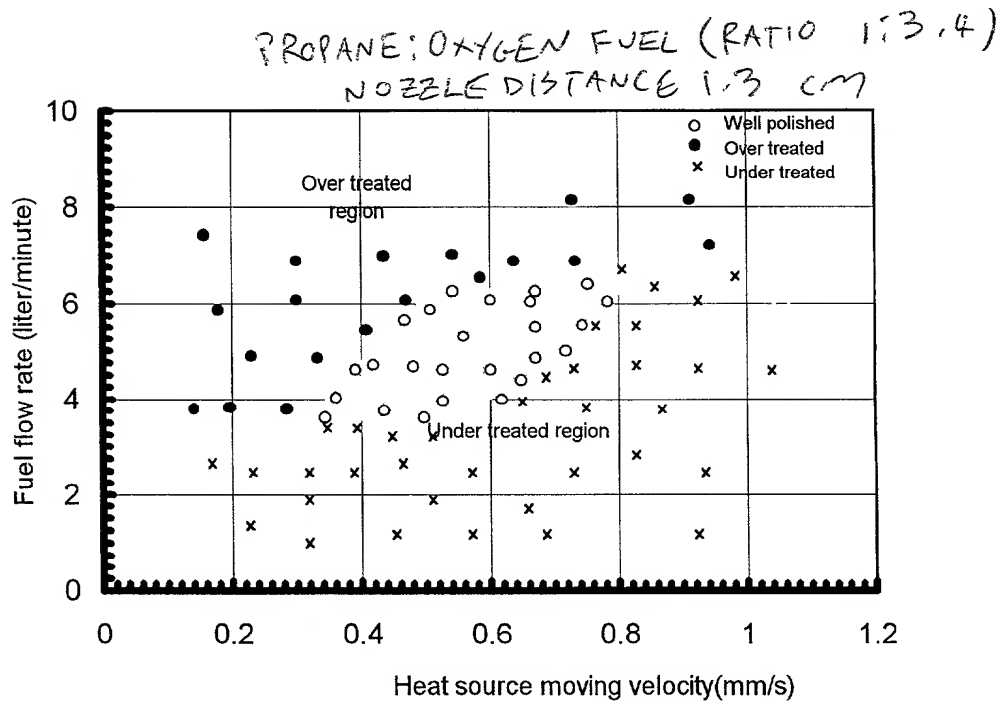


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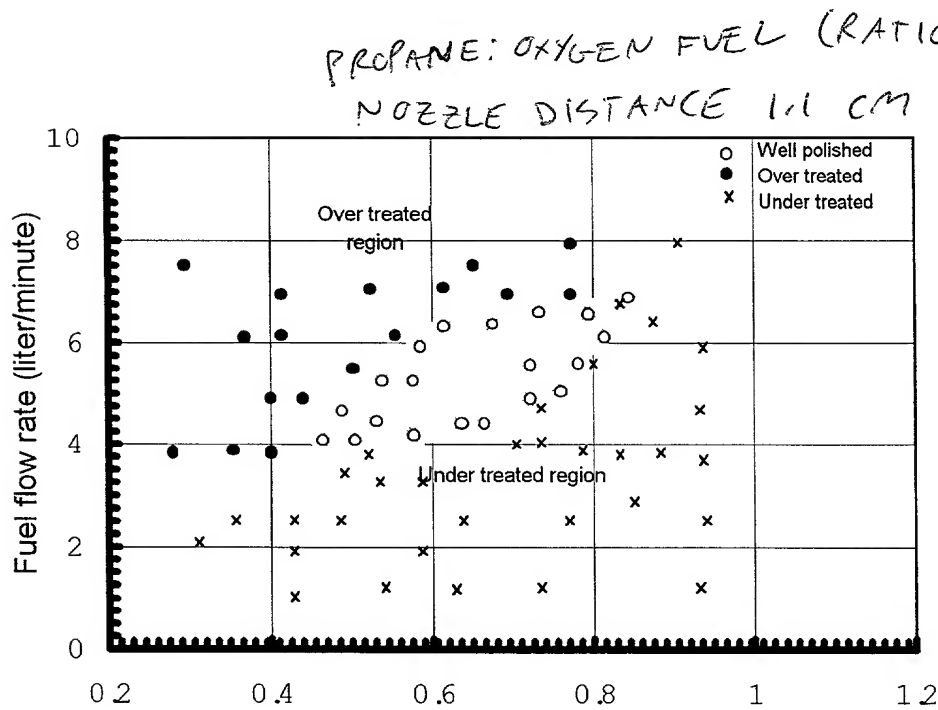


FIGURE 16

PROPANE:OXYGEN FUEL (RATIO 1:3.9)
NOZZLE DISTANCE 1.0 CM

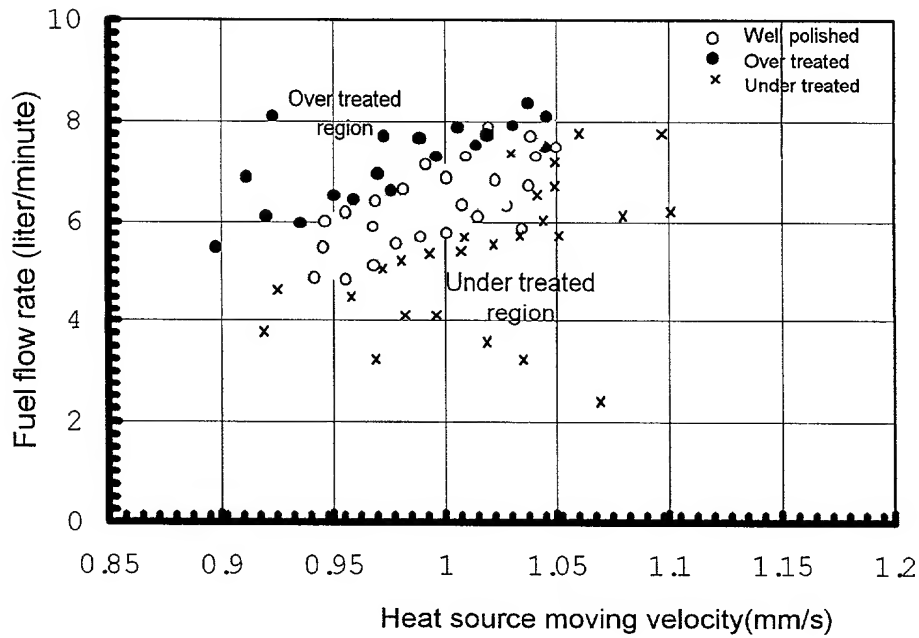


FIGURE 17

PROPANE:OXYGEN FUEL (RATIO 1:3.3)
NOZZLE DISTANCE 0.9 CM

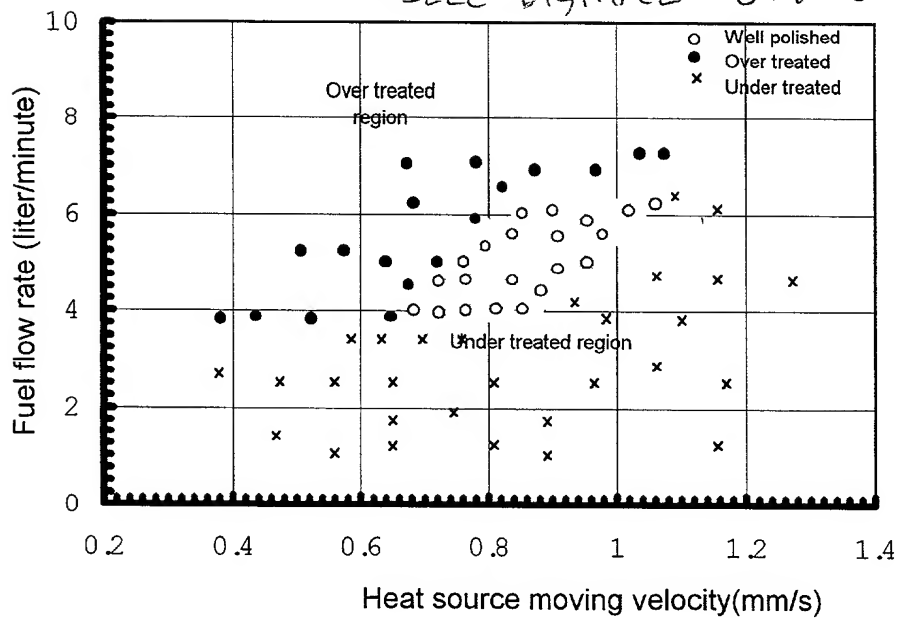


FIGURE 18

ACETYLENE:OXYGEN MIX (RATIO 1:1.2) PATENT
 NOZZLE DISTANCE 5.8 CM 070050.1459
 TILT ANGLE 2°

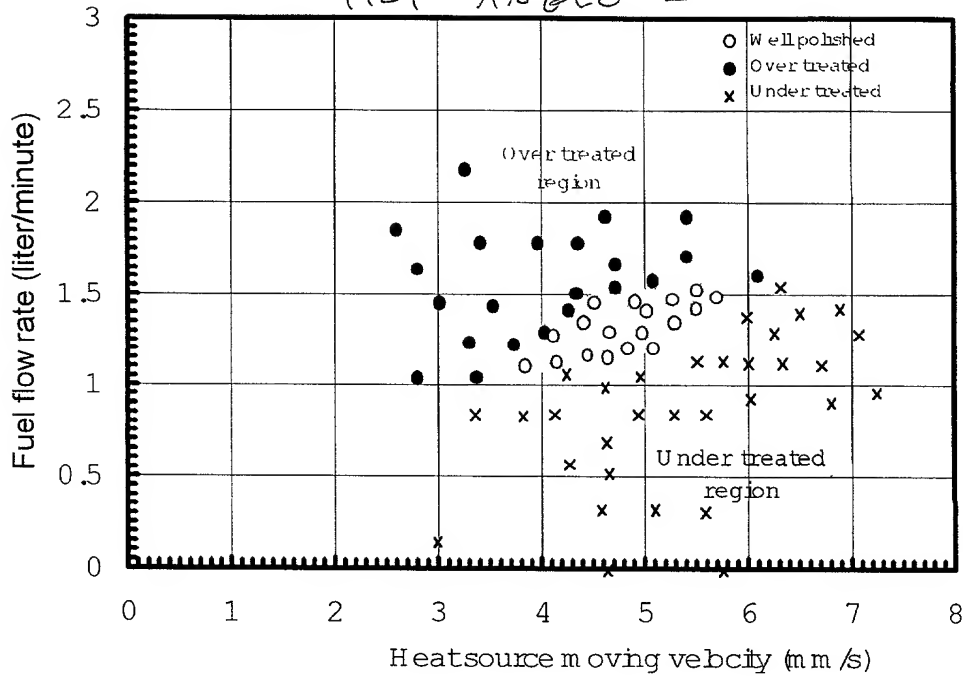


FIGURE 19

ACETYLENE:OXYGEN MIX (RATIO 1:1.2)
 NOZZLE DISTANCE 3.5 CM
 TILT ANGLE 2°

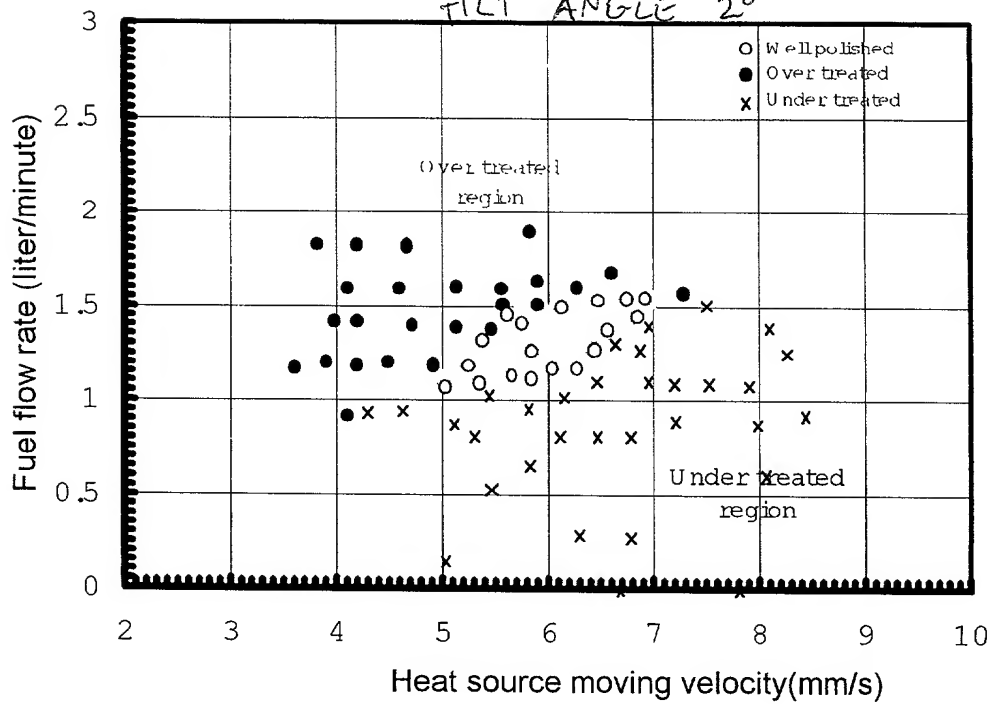


FIGURE 20